

250 AD.

Romans had portable sun dials
with adjustments for seasons
and for latitudes from 30° to 60° .
The faces are still unequal
for day & night

(250)

3rd century

Bishop of Jerusalem wrote to Pope
to point out the absurdity of the
faithful celebrating the birth
at Bethlehem, & hurrying off
just in time to celebrate Christ's
baptism on the other side of
Jerusalem } Both celebrated
in JAN. 6 }
The Pope consulted the

writes of Josephus & fixed Christmas
at Dec 25

On the lower Danube, the Goths had soon broken their agreement with Gallus and were once again ravaging Roman territory.

They were defeated by Aemilius Aemilianus, governor of Upper Moesia, who was at once proclaimed emperor by the legions he had led to victory. Gallus and his son hurriedly

mustered three troops to meet the expected
invasion of Italy, but were taken by surprise
at the speed of Aemilianus's Approach. They
had reached INTERAMNA (modern Terni)
50 miles north of Rome, where the pair of them
were murdered by the soldiers (Aug 253)
Gallus had reigned just over 2 years.

252

The Balts of Decius on the A venture were
completed in 252

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1912 Dates J-BK

Fatal persistence throughout
the empire

252

Pennisetum invadi Syria

In the east, the Persian King SHAPUR I launched a new expedition against the Roman provinces. At BARBALISSOS (modern QAL'AT BALIS) he defeated the eastern legions and overran the entire province of Syria. Antioch, the chief city of the Roman world and capital of Syria, fell to the Persians the following year.

Jan 1, 252

Julian Day

$$(6664 - 1700)(365.25) = 1813101$$

Which is true

252AD

Carriage was full of
sick and Dying.

Christians were ordered
out by the Bishop